FACSIMILE COVER SHEET

FAX RECEIVED

JUL 2 2 2003

GROUP 1600

W. L. L. Char

Licata & Tyrrell P.C.

66 E. Main Street Marlton, New Jersey

Tel: (856) 810-1515 Fax: (856) 810-1454

July 21, 2003

TO: Examiner Borin (TC1600)

GROUP: 1631

FAX NUMBER: 703-872-9306

ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.: DEX-0230

SERIAL NO.: 09/940,227

FILED: August 27, 2001

NUMBER OF PAGES: 19

MESSAGE: Attached please find Combined Amendment & Petition for Extension of Time Transmittal Letter (in duplicate); Authorization to charge deposit acct. 50-1619, \$110.00 for extension of time fee; Certificate of Transmission by Facsimile, and Reply to Restriction Requirement and Preliminary Amendment.

Kathleen A. Tyrrell, Registration No. 38,350

URGENT! PLEASE DELIVER IMMEDIATELY UPON RECEIPT. THANK YOU!

If you have any questions, or did not receive the proper number of pages, or had trouble during transmission, please call 856-810-1515.

CONFIDENTIALITY NOTICE

The information contained in this facsimile message is legally privileged and confidential, and intended only for the use of the individual(s) and/or entity(ies) remed above. If you are not the intended recipient, you are hereby notified that any unauthorized disclosure, copying distribution or taking of any action in reliance on the contents of the relecopied materials is strictly prohibited and review by any individual other than the intended recipient shall not constitute waiver of the anomaly provided. If you have received this transmission in error, please immediately notify us by telephone in order to arrange for the return of the materials. Thank you,

| CERTIFICATE OF T | RANSMISSION BY FA | CSIMILE (37 CFR 1.8) | Docket No. DEX-0230 |
|---|--------------------------------|---|----------------------|
| Serial No. 09/940,227 | Filing Date August 27, 2001 | Examiner Borin, Michael L. | Group Art Unit |
| vention: Compositions a | and Methods Relating to Lun | g Specific Genes | |
| | | | |
| | | | |
| hereby certify that this | | ction <u>Requirement and Preliminary</u> A (Identify (spc of correspondence) | · · |
| being facsimile transmitte July 21, 200 | | ent and Trademark Office (Fax. No. | 703-872-9306 |
| (Dute) | | | · |
| | • | | |
| | 18 Sec. 1 | (Typed or Printed Name of Person Sig | gning Certificate) |
| | | Jathelle M. Mym (Signamore) | <u> </u> |
| | | | |
| | Note: Each paper must h | have its own certificate of mailing. | |
| | | | |
| | | | · |
| | | | |
| | | | |
| | | | |
| | | | |

| COMBINE | Docket No. DEX-0230 | | | | | | | | |
|--|------------------------|---------------------|--------------------|------------------------|----------|-------------------|--|--|--|
| In Re Applicati | on Of: Ch | en et al. | | | | | | | |
| Serial No | | | ng Date | Examiner | | Group Art Unit | | | |
| 09/940,227 | | August | 27, 2001 | Borin, Michael L. | | 1631 | | | |
| Invention: Co | impositions | and Method | s Relating to Lung | Specific Genes | | | | | |
| TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS: This is a combined amendment and petition under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of May 19, 2003 in the above-identified application. | | | | | | | | | |
| The requested e | Date | | | | | | | | |
| The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired): One month | | | | | | | | | |
| - Three months - Four months - Pive months | | | | | | | | | |
| from: June 20, 2003 | | | | | | | | | |
| The fee for the | amendmen | t and extens | ion of time has be | en calculated as shown | below; | | | | |
| CLAIMS AS AMENDED | | | | | | | | | |
| | | EMAINING ENDMENT | HIGHEST# | NUMBER EXTRA | RATE | ADDITIONAL FEE | | | |
| TOTAL CLAIMS | . 16 | • | 20 = | . 0 | x \$18.0 | | | | |
| NDEP. CLAIMS | 0 | _ | 3 = | 0 | x \$84.0 | 00 \$0.00 | | | |
| | т \$0.00 | | | | | | | | |
| | € \$110.00 | | | | | | | | |
| | E \$110.00 | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | |